

12 July 1955

I refer to my letters to you of 19 October 1954 and 24 December 1954 regarding the balance due the United States Government for funds advanced to you in 1953 and 1954 in the sum of \$193.75. No reply to either of my letters has been received.

You will appreciate that the Government must proceed to settle this indebtedness. There is a procedure, established by law, by which the General Accounting Office and, in some cases, the Department of Justice by lawsuit against the individual concerned, effects collection of debts owed the government. Rather than resort to this procedure at this time, however, I am writing you once more to urge you to act so that the above step will not be necessary. Please let me have a prompt reply, to the above address. Unless there are reasons to the contrary, you should send your personal check payable to [redacted] for the full amount or a part of it (with additional payment later), or submit vouchers and receipts for the amount. In any event, you are advised that if I have received no reply to this letter by 30 days from the date of this letter, it will be necessary to refer this claim to the General Accounting Office for collection.

For your convenience I enclose copies of my two earlier letters.

Very truly yours,

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